

TRACK

Record At Lake Hiawatha Park Was Broken

In The Free-For-All Pace Friday Afternoon

When Beut Kennedy Goes A Mile In 2:08 1-4

The Finest Racing Ever Seen At The Park

The Fair Closes With A Large Attendance

The Knox county fair closed on Friday evening.

This was the closing of one of the most successful fairs that Knox county has ever held and every inhabitant of the county should feel proud as it could hardly be excelled by any. Every day, beginning with Tuesday, was blessed with the finest kind of weather and there was not a hitch in the plans of the committee that caused the interest or welfare of the great event to lessen in the least degree. Every amusement and pastime, stand or resort was patronized almost to capacity during the last three days and not one person was heard to complain or even murmur a discontented word.

On Friday morning, the street cars running to the fair grounds were crowded until noon when there was a slight lull. Just after dinner time, the crowd of fair goers began the same incessant stream to the park until about three o'clock when the flow of human beings began to slacken. It is estimated that there were about ten thousand people on the grounds in the afternoon.

The feature of the afternoon was as usual, the horse races.

The interest was intense during the entire program and was even more exciting than the races of Wednesday and Thursday. The grand stand was packed and the track was completely lined on both sides from the boat house to the base ball diamond. Every one of the three races on the program were very closely contested, some of the heats being so close that a decision as to positions was difficult.

The 2:20 pace was first. It was necessary to pace four heats to decide the winner, but the fourth and final heat was won by Rosey H., a horse which stood in general favor with the spectators.

Second on the program came the free-for-all pace. This was a contest which will long be remembered by every person who witnessed it. The first heat of the race was made in 2:09 1/4, which is a great deal lower than the former track record, which was 2:11 1/4, made about eleven years ago. The second heat was paced in 2:08 1/4 and the third in 2:08 1/4. This time is indeed remarkable, considering all things which a horse and driver must necessarily contend with on the track at Hiawatha park. In the first place, the track was not as fast as it might have been and in the second place, it is a one-half mile track. On a mile track the time would undoubtedly have been a great deal faster. At any rate, the new track record of 2:08 1/4 made by Beut Kennedy will probably stand for a long time and probably will never be broken.

Now, the fact has been plainly demonstrated to Mt. Vernon and Knox county people that it is certainly unnecessary to go out of the county in order to see the finest and some of the fastest races that are trotted or paced in the country. This was practically the grand climax of the fair's success and it is safe to say that the committee and the directors will exert themselves in an effort to make the Knox county fair in 1911, even better than the one of this year, if such a thing is possible.

The score and summary of the races on Wednesday afternoon was as follows:

2:20 Pace

Rosey H., br. m., (Casky) 1 1 3 1
Adrian W. b. s., (Wagers) 2 3 1 2
Lady Ashbrook, s. m., (Ashbrook & Davidson) 3 2 2 4
Tempest, b. s., (Price) 4 4 4 3
Time of heats, 2:15 1/4, 2:16 1/4, 2:16 1/4, 2:16 1/4.

First money was won by Rosey H., second by Adrian W., third money by Lady Ashbrook and fourth money by Tempest.
Purse \$250.

Free-for-all Pace

Frank Ananias, b. m., (Steele) 2 3 3 3
Beut Kennedy, b. m., (Slaight) 3 1 1 1
Belle Mc. b. m., (Price) 1 2 2 2
Time of heats, 2:09 1/4, 2:08 1/4, 2:08 1/4, 2:10.

First money won by Beut Kennedy, second money by Belle Mc. and third money by Frank Ananias.
Purse \$400.

2:20 Trot

Miss Caskey, b. m., (Caskey) 1 1 1
Sunland Clay 2 3 3
Peter B., (Ellis) 3 5 2
Uncle Ad, roan s., (Willoughby) 4 2 4
Oliver H. b. g., (Outcall) 5 4 5
Don Temple, br. g., (Price) drawn

Time of heats, 2:23 1/4, 2:23 1/4, 2:23 1/4.

First money won by Miss Caskey, second money by Sunland Clay, third money by Peter B. and fourth money by Uncle Ad.
Purse \$300.

DEATH

Comes To Joseph Underwood Saturday Noon

Result Of Internal Injuries Which He Received

By Being Run Over By Street Car In This City

As a result of internal injuries received at the time of the accident Joseph Underwood of South Vernon, whose left foot was crushed when alighting from a street car on the evening of September 9, died at noon Saturday at his home on the Granville road.

Owing to his general nutrition being bad and on account of his general injury, the attending physician, Dr. Staunton E. Deeley deemed it necessary to amputate the left leg midway between the ankle and the knee. This was done Friday afternoon and the patient recovered nicely from the effect of the amputation. He passed a restless night, but on Saturday morning he was suffering from internal injuries, which he had suffered more or less from since the accident. He grew rapidly worse and death resulted at noon.

Mr. Underwood was injured on Friday evening, Sept. 9. He was on the way to the home of his daughter and as he attempted to alight from a street car at the corner of High and Jackson streets he was thrown from the front platform and a portion of his left foot was crushed under the wheel of the car. In the fall he also sustained internal injuries, which were not considered serious at the time, but which later proved fatal.

The deceased was 65 years of age and is survived by his wife and two daughters and two sons.

The funeral Monday afternoon from the home and interment at St. John's cemetery.

How's This?

We offer one hundred dollars reward for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by him.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

CHILD WAS LOST

The fire bell was sounded at about one o'clock on Saturday afternoon as Herbert, the small son of Mr. Frank Mindermann of West Vine street was lost. The small boy was found to be missing by his parents and no traces of him could be found. The fire bell evidently did the work for the child was found a short time afterward by searchers.

Messrs. Brillhart and Strong of Newark spent Saturday in the city visiting friends.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of J. C. Watson

READY

To Welcome The G. A. R. Is Atlantic City

Veterans Pouring In To 44th Encampment

The City Extensively And Handsomely Decorated

And Feature Of Week Will Be The Parade

Meetings And Reunions Of Regiments To Be Held

Atlantic City, N. J., Sept. 17.—The forty-fourth national encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic will be held in this city next week, together with the annual meetings of its several affiliated bodies. The gathering of the veterans, their families and friends is expected to be one of the largest in recent years.

Atlantic City has been waiting all summer for the third week in September to come, and as the eventful week draws near the anticipation of the people become keener. Practically all the arrangements for the reception and entertainment of the multitude of visitors are completed. Already the city is extremely and handsomely decorated in honor of the occasion, and the piers and the great hotels along the waterfront bear electrical illuminations of unusual brilliancy.

In connection with the meetings of the Grand Army, there will be held the gatherings of the National Woman's Relief Corps, the National Ladies of the G. A. R., the National Daughters of Veterans, the National Army Nurses' Association, the National Association of ex-Prisoners of War, and the National Association of Naval Veterans.

The meetings and reunions of these various organizations will continue from Monday until Saturday. The feature of the week will be the parade of Grand Army men on Wednesday, when it is expected that from fifteen to twenty thousand veterans will be in line. Commander-in-Chief Samuel R. Van Sant of Minnesota and his staff will review the procession, together with the Governor of New Jersey and other notable guests. The forty-four departments will march in the order of their dates of charter, with the exception of New Jersey, which, being the entertaining state, will bring up the rear.

The route of the march will be from the intersection of North Carolina avenue and Pacific avenue, east on Pacific avenue to Rhode Island avenue, to Atlantic avenue, west on Atlantic avenue to Ohio avenue, south on Ohio avenue to Pacific avenue, east on Pacific avenue to Park place, south on Park place to Indiana avenue, north on Indiana avenue to Pacific avenue, east on Pacific avenue to Tennessee avenue, where the column will be dismissed.

Thursday is the day set apart for the business sessions of the Grand Army to take place in the assembly hall on Young's Pier. The principal features of the business sessions will be the election of a commander-in-chief and the selection of the next meeting place of the national encampment. The spirited contests of previous years for the honor of heading the veterans' organization and of entertaining the national encampment are almost lacking this year. For the office of commander-in-chief there are but two active candidates—John E. Gilman of Massachusetts and John McElroy of Washington, D. C. The candidacy of Mr. McElroy is being pushed by his veteran comrades from the District of Columbia and support is also claimed from all of the South and several of the Western States. On the other hand, Mr. Gilman, who is a past department commander of Massachusetts, has the solid support of the numerically strong New England delegation and other sections of the country as well and his friends believe that he is certain of victory.

The fight for the national presidency of the Woman's Relief Corps, the largest and most important of the affiliated organizations, promises to be even more spirited than the contest to head the G. A. R. Mrs. Jennie R. Berry of Iowa is the present head of the W. R. C. To succeed her there are four active candidates in the field. They are Mrs. Belle C. Harris of Kansas, Mrs. Cora M. Davis of Oregon, Mrs. Ida S. McBride of Indiana and

Mrs. Lois M. Knapp of Ohio. They have all been department presidents of their respective states and three of the four are past national officers.

A half dozen or more cities are named in connection with the choice of a meeting place for next year's encampment, but so far Rochester, N. Y., and Portland, Ore., appear to be the only places making an active canvass. With the arrival of the main body of veterans on Monday, however, it is believed that the claims of other cities will be pushed forward, with the probability that a spirited contest will develop before a final decision in the matter is reached. It is said that the plan to make Washington, D. C., the permanent meeting place for the national encampments in the future will be agitated again this year, though there is believed to be small chance of its adoption at this time.

BIG DAY

For Bellville Was Home Coming On Thursday

Thursday was the banner day of the celebration at Bellville, the crowd being estimated at between 5,000 and 8,000 people.

The celebration is both a home-coming and a free street fair. Many old citizens who left Bellville many years ago, were back to attend the celebration and to greet old acquaintances.

The town was decorated with banners, welcoming the people and banners and flags were displayed from the homes and the business houses. Mayor Strickenberger welcomed the visitors and the Bellville Messenger kept open house. Addresses were made by State Treasurer Creamer of Columbus and Geo. H. Chamberlain of Lorain.

Music was furnished by the Bellville band and by a military band. A base ball game furnished entertainment for lovers of that sport.

The free air exhibit was the big feature of the whole affair. The exhibits in all lines were a credit to Bellville and the southern part of the county. Especially was this true of the fruit. Garton Bros. had a large exhibit which called forth much admiration.

The display of all farm products was enormous. The live stock especially the pet stock, was exceptionally good. The streets had been closed so the exhibitors could have the best places to display their stock and farm products.

LACERATED

In Painful Manner Were C. M. Dutte's Fingers

C. M. Dutte, a laborer employed at the Mt. Vernon Bridge works, met with a most distressing accident while at work Saturday morning about 10:00 o'clock. He was working over a drill and reached over his head to adjust some part of the machinery when he caught the fingers of his right hand in the gear. Three of the fingers were badly lacerated so that amputation will probably be necessary. The injured man was removed to the Mt. Vernon Hospital in McCormick's ambulance where he was attended by Dr. Fred L. Singrey.

A man thinks he is in the political swim when he buys a drink for a politician.

CHILD

Run Down By Two Race Horses At The Park

And Has Narrow Escape From Death

Little Girl's Condition On Saturday Improved

And Physician Believes She Will Recover

How The Only Accident Of The Fair Occurred

The only accident which occurred to mar the races at the fair on Friday afternoon was the unfortunate mishap in which Louise, the four-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Salisbury of East High street, was struck and run over by two race horses. The accident occurred during the 2:20 pace. The horses had scored a number of times in an effort to receive the word "go" and it was during one of these scores when the little child suddenly appeared in the center of the track only to be knocked down and placed at the mercy of the destructive hoofs and wheels of the speeding horses.

Mr. Salisbury, the child's father, states that during the afternoon Louise had been sick at her stomach and that he had given her some money with which to purchase some chewing gum, thinking that it might serve to settle her stomach and quiet her. He told her to wait until after the race was over and they would go over to the dairy kitchen and get the chewing gum and the child appeared to be contented with the plan. The father released his hold on her arm in order to get a good view of the starters and he had not more than done so, when the little girl suddenly made a dash across the track directly in front of the horses, which were going at a very swift pace.

The brace rod of the first sulky struck the child on the right side of her body, hurling her to the ground several feet away. She struck the track directly in the path of the second horse, which with a sagacious animal instinct, made an effort to evade stepping on her and succeeded. The driver of the second sulky displayed wonderful presence of mind when he discovered the child on the track and knew that his wheel must necessarily pass over her body. He threw all his weight on the other side of the cart almost lifting that side, which passed over her body, off of the ground, making the pressure very light and as a result, no injury was inflicted by the wheel.

As soon as the accident was over, the child was carried to the side of the track, where a number of physicians hastily assembled to render all aid in their power. The child was soon restored to consciousness and an examination was made in order to ascertain the extent of the injuries but this was impossible at the time. An automobile was hastily summoned and the injured child was taken to the office of Dr. S. E. Deeley where a more thorough examination was made and the necessary restoratives were administered. Strange to say, not a bruise could be found on the girl's

body except on the side of her head, where a slight lump was raised. No bones were found to be broken, but it was thought on Friday evening that there were probably internal injuries as a quantity of blood was vomited by the child. On Saturday morning, however, Mr. Salisbury stated that the child had passed a very restful night and was able to move about and turn over in bed. Recovery is now expected as the indications of internal injuries are not so evident as was the case on Friday evening.

PROGRESS

And Success Demands Remodeling Of Our Office

To meet the demand for a well kept office, and the large increase of business, also to keep pace with the more modern dental appliances, we have in the last few months added most of the new appliances for doing dental work in all its branches in the most scientific manner.

To keep in line with our new and improved method of doing dentistry, we have not forgotten the comfort and pleasure of our numberless patients who might at times have to wait. The first of the present week we installed the finest line of office furniture that the city of Mt. Vernon could supply. All this has been accomplished by good dental work and hundreds of satisfied patients in this city and surrounding country whom we wish to thank. Hoping they will continue to call on us at any time the service of the dentist is needed. To those who are not acquainted with us and our prices and are in need of dental work we most cordially invite you to call if nothing more than an examination and see a fine equipped dental office.

Respectively yours,
UNION PAINLESS DENTISTS.
Both 'phones. 10 E. Gambier St.

***There will be a meeting of the Knox County Corn Growers' Association Saturday, September 24, at 1 p. m. in the directors' room of the Knox National Bank, to make arrangements for the corn show.

WESTERN CANADA'S 1910 CROPS

Wheat Yield in Many Districts Will be from 35 to 55 Bushels Per Acre
Land sales and homestead entries increasing. No competition in numbers going from United States. Wonderful opportunities remain for those who intend making Canada their home. New districts being opened up for settlement.
Many farmers will not, this year, \$10 to \$15 per acre from their wheat crops. All the advantages of settled countries are there. Good schools, churches, splendid markets, excellent railway facilities. See the grain exhibits at the different State and county fairs. Letters similar to the following are received every day, testifying to satisfactory conditions; other districts are as favorably spoken of.

They Sent for Their Son
Maidstone, Sask., Canada, August 5, 1909.
My parents came here from Cedar Falls, Iowa, four years ago and were so well pleased with this country they sent to Cedar Falls for me. I have taken up a homestead near them, and am perfectly satisfied to stay here.
L. C. L. H. H. H. H.

Wants Settlers' Rate for His Stock
Settler, Alberta, July 31, 1909.
Well, I got up here from Cedar Falls, Iowa, last spring in good shape with the stock and everything. Now, I have got two cows back in Iowa yet, and I am going back there now to get them and another set up here this fall. What I would like to know is, if there is any chance to get a cheap rate back again, and when we return to Canada I will call at your office for our certificates.
Yours truly, H. A. WIE.

Will Make His Home in Canada
Brainerd, Minn., August 1, 1909.
I am going to Canada a week from today and intend to make my home there. My husband has been there six weeks and is well pleased with the country, so he wants me to come as soon as I can. He has on a claim near Landis, Sask., and by his description of it it must be a pretty place. My brother-in-law, Mr. Frank J. Zimmer, lives there and it was through him that we decided to locate in Canada.
Yours truly,
MRS. RICHARD HENRY EBNIGER.

Send for literature and ask the local Canadian Government Agents for Excursion Rates, best districts in which to locate, and what to do.
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An enthusiastic rally of all the boys of the boys of the public schools was held in the High school auditorium, Friday afternoon at the conclusion of school. The meeting was in the interest of the Boy Scout movement. There are a number of men who are willing to co-operate with the boys in this work and there are a number of boys who are ready to get into the movement. Plans looking to the formation of a city movement are being developed.

KNOX CO. TEACHERS' EXAMINATIONS

1909-1910

Meetings for the examination of teachers will be held at the

CENTRAL SCHOOL Bldg.

Mt. Vernon, Ohio,

The first Saturday of every month

Pupils' Examination

The third Saturday of April and the second Saturday in May. Examination will commence at 8:00 o'clock, a. m. Address all communications to the Clerk of Board of Examiners.

Organization of Board:

C. M. BARBER, President, Mt. Vernon, O.

W. W. BORDEN, V. Pres., Fredericktown, O.

C. M. GRUBB, Clerk, Centerburg, O.

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Sealed Proposals

STATE HIGHWAY DEPT.
Columbus, O., Sept. 12, 1910.
Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Commissioners of Knox county, Ohio, until 12 o'clock, noon, Sept. 29, 1910, for grading and macadamizing 2.50 miles of road in Hilliar township, said county, under the provisions of the state highway law.
Specifications, plans and profiles are on file in the office of the County Commissioners in Mt. Vernon, O., and at the State Highway Department.
Copies of specifications may be obtained at the latter office.
Estimated cost of construction \$15,600.
Certified check \$300.00.
The State Highway Commissioner reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
JAMES C. WONDERS,
State Highway Commissioner.

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RAILROAD TIME TABLES

Mt. Vernon, Ohio

B. & O. R. R.

East

No. 14..... 5:50 a. m.
No. 4..... 11:24 a. m.
No. 16..... 6:02 p. m.
No. 8..... 6:31 p. m.

West

No. 7..... 8:26 a. m.
No. 17..... 8:57 a. m.
No. 3..... 2:44 p. m.
No. 15..... 10:10 p. m.

Nos. 16 and 17 daily except Sunday. Other trains daily.

C., A. & C. R. R.

South Bound

*No. 506..... 12:41 a. m.
**No. 520..... 9:58 a. m.
*No. 523..... 6:30 a. m.
*No. 504..... 8:57 a. m.

*No. 518..... 10:55 a. m.
*No. 502..... 12:25 p. m.
*No. 508..... 5:10 p. m.
*No. 500..... 9:37 p. m.

North Bound

*No. 507..... 2:25 a. m.
**No. 501..... 7:24 a. m.
*No. 509..... 8:34 a. m.
*No. 503..... 1:25 p. m.

*No. 505..... 5:53 p. m.
*No. 519..... 6:52 p. m.
*No. 521..... 7:10 p. m.
*No. 523 (To Mt. Vernon only)..... 7:30 p. m.

*Daily.

**Daily except Sunday.

***Sunday only.



DR. DAVID FRANCIS

Whose Ministerial Services Have Been Secured by the Vine Street Church of Christ